

TITLE 3. FOOD AND AGRICULTURE

NOTICE OF POST-HEARING MODIFICATIONS TO THE REGULATION TEXT RELATING TO SHELL EGG FOOD SAFETY

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN of proposed modifications to the originally proposed text for section 1350 of Subchapter 3, Chapter 1, Division 3, of Title 3 of the California Code of Regulations. The proposal pertains to the action described in the Informative Digest published in the California Regulatory Notice Register on July 6, 2012 [Notice File No. Z2012-0626-03, Register 2012, No. 27-Z] relating to persons registered with the Department of Food and Agriculture (Department) as an egg producer or egg handler, and any out-of state egg producer or egg handler registered with the Department to sell eggs in California. The Department is now providing notice of proposed modifications to the regulation text. A copy of the modified text is enclosed.

Written comments regarding the original proposal: Written comments already received for this proposal during its initial 45-day public notification period beginning July 6, 2012 and ending at 5:00 p.m. August 20, 2012, the additional 15-day public comment period beginning September 1, 2012 and ending at 5:00 p.m. September 15, 2012, and received the day of the public hearings held on October 4, 2012 in Ontario, California and October 15, 2012 in Sacramento, California, will become a part of the Department's official rulemaking file.

Written comments regarding the modified text: If any person wishes to comment on the modifications to the text, the written comment must be submitted to the contact person named in this notice beginning **November 5, 2012 and ending at 5:00 p.m., November 20, 2012**. The written comments are to be restricted to the recent modifications as shown in the attached regulatory text. The Department is not required to respond to comments received in response to this notice on other aspects of the proposed regulation. All written comments previously submitted during the initial public comment period ending August 20, 2012, the additional public comment period ending September 15, 2012, and comments received the dates of the public hearings held on October 4, 2012 and October 15, 2012, remain the rulemaking file. All written comments received by 5:00 p.m. November 20, 2012, which pertain to the indicated changes, will be reviewed and responded to by Departmental staff as part of the compilation of the rulemaking file.

Contact Person

Written comments regarding the proposal, as modified, are to be sent to the following person:

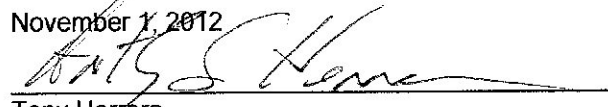
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Materials relating to this proposal may be found at the following Internet address:
<http://www.cdfa.ca.gov/ahfss/regulations.html>

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